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Various talks with Tommy this morning, and routine business. Since the only telephone, telegraph and cable communications are those on official business, Paris, including our office, is strangely quiet. One alone of the regular passenger buses in the capital is operating today, and none of the metro trains.

We went down to Versailles this afternoon, sunned ourselves with the children, and spent the night there.

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